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AND QUANTIFICATION OF SPECIFIC NUCLEIC ACID

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Part of Application and Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated July 20, 2001, enclosed herewith in full compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 is a Sequence Listing to be inserted into the specification. Please insert the Sequence Listing enclosed herewith immediately after the abstract. The Sequence Listing in no way introduces new matter into the specification.

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